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COMING EVENTS

<u>FRI., OCT. 13</u>	<u>OLD BOYS' DINNER, KING EDWARD HOTEL, 6.00 P.M. FOR 7.30 P.M.</u>
<u>Sat., Oct. 14</u>	<u>1st Football at Ridley, 2.15 p.m.</u>
<u>Sat., Oct. 21</u>	<u>1st Football at U.C.C., 10.30 a.m.</u>
<u>Sat., Oct. 28</u>	<u>T.C.S. at 1st Football, 2.15 p.m.</u>
<u>Sun., Nov. 26</u>	<u>St. Andrew's Day Chapel Service, 7.00 p.m.</u>
<u>Sat., Dec. 9</u>	<u>Carol Service, 7.00 p.m.</u>
<u>Sun., Dec. 10</u>	<u>Carol Service, 5.00 p.m.</u>

DR. K. G. B. KETCHUM, B.A., LL.D.

As no doubt you all will have heard by now, **K. G. B. Ketchum, Esq., B.A., LL.D.**, died on August 27th after a short illness. For twenty-five years, twenty-three of them as Headmaster, he served the School with selfless devotion. His contribution to the future of this country through his influence on the lives of many hundreds of Andreans cannot be estimated — nor need it be. The most dynamic influences are in the realm of the intangibles which defy precise evaluation but are none-the-less evident to the perceptive. A great many of you felt the influence of this man, Ken Ketchum, and no doubt now, in retrospect, realize what a creative and constructive force he was in his calling as Schoolmaster. His Headmastership spanned a most difficult period in the life of the School. He guided it through the final years of "The Great Depression" and on into the War Years until he went on loan to the Royal Naval College as Director of Studies. Coming back in 1945, he vigorously took up the task of leading the School through the difficult post-war years with the aim of not only maintaining the traditionally high Andrean standards but trying to raise the standards even higher in every department. To this he gave all he had — without counting the cost. His aim was to make S.A.C. the greatest school — to develop "great" men whether or not their names appeared among the recorded great. And who can tell just how great was this man's influence for good in a world of unstable values, in a world whose future would require the moral, intellectual, and physical strength that St. Andrew's tries to develop? To Mrs. Ketchum, whose help and inspiration through the years to Dr. Ketchum and the School was inestimable, the Andrean extends its sympathy.

ROUND AND ABOUT THE SCHOOL

If you are wandering 'round and about the School this Fall you might think that some mighty upheaval from the earth's core had shaken the place! The **Tuck Shop** is sitting up on stilts at the east end of the rinks. The **Tennis Courts** have been torn out and new ones are being constructed farther west — on a Mac House Soccer Field. The **trees** between the Power House and the Tuck Shop on the west side of the Back Quad — are down and gone. Barricade fences have appeared like mushrooms and all sorts of machinery is in action doing this, that, and the other to prepare the groundwork for new buildings. The new "**Great Hall**" (dining) will rise along the line of the old Tennis Courts and the new classroom building will appear west of Dunlap Hall and extend to the old site of the Tuck Shop. The start has been made and it is hoped that by the beginning of the 1962-63 year there will be accommodation for a school of three hundred (boys!). The two hundred and seventy boys here now are pressed for space — everywhere. The **Mac House Infirmary** no longer exists; boys occupy the space. The **Upper School Infirmary** serves the whole School. When the new Great Hall is ready for use, the space released in the Upper School Dining Hall wing and in the Mac House Dining Room will be available for boy accommodation. But — you will hear more about this. Meanwhile, changes in personnel have occurred. **Mrs. Grant**, Nurse-Matron of Mac House, retired in June after many years of yeoman service. Many of you "puir wee byes" will remember her with the affection she deserved. **Miss Gordon**, Upper School Nurse, has left for places unknown as yet, and, in spite of her happy years at the School, was looking forward to a change. **Dr. Rose** after many years of service as Doctor to the School has relinquished his post. **Dr. Don Hutchins** has taken over. We are sorry to report the sudden death this summer of **Mrs. Cameron** who replaced Mrs. Ince only last year as Upper School Matron but had already become very much a part of the School. The new Matron of the Upper School is **Mrs. H. J. Brooks**, of Mac House is **Miss J. Jolliffe**. The new School Nurse is **Mrs. J. H. King**. Several new Masters have joined the School. While Stan Macfarlane is on leave of absence, **Mike Adamson** is teaching Upper School French, and **Dr. Shimerl** has come in to teach Middle School French and Spanish. **Dr. G. V. Helwig** has taken over the teaching of Physics and some Maths. **T. Clifford** has joined the Science Dep't and **G. A. Rutherford** the Maths. Some changes have occurred in the distribution of the School. There is no longer a Grade Six (Upper First). The School begins at Grade Seven (Lower Second). There are two Grade Eight's, three Grade Nine's, three Grade Ten's, three Grade Eleven's, two Grade Twelve's, and one Grade Thirteen. The quality over-all is good. **Football** is going well but it is early yet to see how things will shape up. There are five teams in action — the Firsts, Thirds, Fifths, and two Under Fifteens. The **First Team** has been considerably handicapped by a rash of injuries but is going all-out. A four team **Clan Soccer** League is operating and two teams selected from this group play outside matches. The numerous other activities are under way — more about them in the next issue. The whole of the Middle and Upper Schools went

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to **Stratford** to watch a performance of Henry Eighth. The 1960-61 **Review** should reach you soon. Watch for news of probable revision of policy in this connection. Until next missive — au revoir! Come on up (or down, or over!) and see for yourself what is going on 'round and about your **Old School**.

NOTES

- '06 The **Rt. Hon. Vincent Massey** delivered the Romanes Lecture at Oxford University in May.
- '20 **Willard Grant**, managing director of T. Geddes Grant Ltd. in Trinidad spent six weeks in Canada in May and June.
- '23 **Rex Stollmeyer**, Commissioner to Canada for the West Indies, has returned to Montreal from London, England, where he was acting Commissioner for some months.
- '40 **Alan Forbes**, a director of T. Geddes Grant Ltd. in Trinidad, spent a three month holiday in Vancouver earlier this year.
- '43 **Jim Franceschini** has been appointed President and General Manager of Associated Quarries and Construction Co., Toronto.
- '45 **Ian Fleming** is now manager of the Ontario Steel Products plant at Gananoque, Ont.
- '49 **Kit Horn**, now living in California visited the School this summer with his four children.
- '50 **Mike Ballentine** has been elected to the Board of W. L. Ballentine Co. Ltd., Toronto.
- '51 **Alastair Grant**, having completed a year's travel to the East on an architectural scholarship, is now with James A. Murray in Toronto.
* **Ian Hector** has been awarded a McLaughlin Fellowship to do further work in Psychiatry at Maudsley Hospital in London, England.
- '54 **Hugh Grant** is a salesman with T. Geddes Grant Ltd. in Trinidad.
* **Doug Grant**, after graduating from U. of T. in '59, spent a year in Trinidad. He has now returned to U. of T. to do work on his M.A. in Economics.
- '55 **Grant Snow** has graduated in medicine from Toronto and is interning at the Wellesley Hospital, Toronto. * **Richard Webb** dropped in at the School on his way to Harvard where he is doing post-grad work in Economics.
- '56 It is rumoured that **Colin Robertson** has been serving with the Edinburgh Police Force!
- '57 **Bill Horne** is with the Regional office, Inspection Department of the Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce in Vancouver.
- '58 **Julian Payne** won the Navy League Prize for the best Naval Cadet in his final year at the College Militaire Royale. He will be at R.M.C. this year. * **Ron Manning** is with Doherty-Roadhouse, Toronto.

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- '59 **Van Woolnough** is in third year Arts at McGill and intends to go into medicine. * **Martin Connell** is in third year Geology at McGill. * **Bob Thorburn** is in his second year at Dalhousie. * **Peter Goulding** is with McLaren's Advertising in Toronto. * **Tony Fell** is with Dominion Securities, Toronto. * **John Wilkins** is in his third year Arts at Trinity College, Toronto.
- '60 **Mike Heath-Eaves** dropped in last month and was the proverbial mine of information about recent O.B.'s. He himself will be at Trinity College, Toronto this year. * **Dave Stamper** brought his young brother back to school in September before leaving for his second year at Wabash College. No. 1 brother, **Andy**, will be taking a Hotel Management Course in Lausanne, Switzerland. * **Dave Gist** is articulated to a law firm in England. He suffered nasty injuries in a highway accident in Europe this summer from which we hope he is recovering well. * **Nick Oundjian** is with the family firm in London, England. He and **Dave Gist** turn out for the same Rugger Club. * **Bob Isserstedt** has finished his first year at the Univ. of Vienna where he is doing work in Chemistry, Physics and Maths. * **Bob Parker** is in Industrial Engineering at the U. of T. * **John Morse** is in second year Meds at Queen's.
- '61 **Carsten Moser** is at the University of Hamburg.

Marriages

- ✓ **H. M. Burns** ('51), June 10th, 1961.
- ✓ **T. B. Chipman** ('47), June 10, 1961.
- ✓ **D. L. Rea** ('52), June 10, 1961.
- ✓ **J. C. Taylor** ('52), July 8, 1961.
- ✓ **D. F. J. McLean** ('55), August 5, 1961.
- ✓ **J. F. Shearson** ('58), September 8, 1961.



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